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REIGN OF LAWLESSNESS IN THIS SECTION CONTINUES

Webster Comes to the Front With Shooting and Cutting Escapades. Local Authorities Unable to Cope With Situation.

Webster is experiencing a reign of terror which continues unabated. Shooting scrapes, cutting bees, fights and rows have followed each other in rapid succession since Monday and taken all together the past three days have been strenuous ones for the authorities of the little village.

The local constable is powerless to cope with the situation without help from outside sources. The carnival of lawlessness started Monday evening with a small riot among a party of miners. The trouble was the result of a heated argument between two of the party. A pitched battle followed and one of the men whose name is Brown was slashed several times with a knife before the combatants could be separated. Brown's injuries were dressed by a local physician. No one seemed to know who did the cutting.

Tuesday evening George Leteka, a Slavish miner employed at the Budd mines was shot and seriously wounded while returning home from a Miners' meeting at Webster. His assailants, three in number, escaped and not the slightest clue to their identity is known. The bullet, which was fired from a 32 calibre revolver, struck Leteka in the right shoulder blade, glanced, followed a rib around to the left breast, and lodged in his clothes. Leteka told the story of the shooting to a representative of the Daily, today. He said that it was about 11 o'clock, when he started for home. At the Budd tipple he passed three men, and when about thirty yards from them, he felt something strike him in the back.

It is said that he was stunned by the blow, but supposed he had been hit with a stone, and so proceeded on his way home. Upon his arrival home his attention was called to a quantity of blood with which his shirt was saturated. He removed his clothing and the bullet dropped to the floor. A local physician was hastily summoned and the injury was dressed.

The physician stated today that the wound would hardly prove dangerous, unless blood poisoning set in. As far as could be learned nothing is being done to apprehend the guilty persons. Last evening another fight was started, but was stopped before any damage was done. For several years crimes of all descriptions have been committed in and near Webster, and the guilty have gone unpunished. If the local authorities are unable to bring these lawless characters to justice, it is time the county authorities awaken to action.

WEBSTER NOTES

Miller Allen has returned home from a hunting trip to the mountains.

Miss Harriet Bindley was in Monongahela Tuesday evening on business.

Mrs Thomas G. Finley is visiting her daughter Mrs. R A Rankin of Greensburg.

W. A Elder, township superintendent, was a business visitor in Monessen yesterday.

Alfred Thompson spent yesterday in Monessen visiting with his sister, Mrs. Harry Eckensburg.

Henry Lange sold a pair of valuable mules yesterday. The consideration was in the neighborhood of $500.

E F Miller, the popular salesman representing H J Heinz Co of Pittsburg, was a business visitor in town this morning.

Albert Noel of Pittsburg, has accepted a position at the Union Hotel to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of D. L Sarber.

J. W Martin of California, a former foot ball player of note, but now representing the wholesale firm of Colvin Atwell & Co, of Pittsburg, was calling on the trade here this morning.

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Everything for Contractors.

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Appraising Crowther's Property.

A N Shuster, assignee for the Jos B Crowthers estate and appraisers L. H. Reeves, Samuel Kent and C M. Derickson went to Marchand this morning to appraise the property belonging to the estate at that place.

Open Installation and Banquet

The Monessen Commandery, Knights of Malta will hold an open installation of officers in Kelly's hall this evening, which will be followed by a banquet.

LOST—Three cows, colors black, yellow and brindle. Parties leaving information to Mike Kalick will greatly oblige. 21

WANTED—At once an experienced shoe saleslady. Inquire 434 Donner avenue. tf

FOR RENT—Six rooms and bath, on Oneida street, between Schoonmaker and McKee avenues. Inquire Robert Linton.

FOR SALE—At less than cost of improvements, 8 rooms and bath, Donner avenue, good location, must be sold at once, make me an offer. E Jeffries 66-t

FOR SALE—A good fire proof safe and office fixtures cheap. See E. Jeffries.

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Justice of the Peace

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GOOD WILL.

The banking business, like every other business, is dependent upon the good will of customers obtained by good service. This bank is characterized by a service that is daily attracting more depositors.

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ROY McCREARY THE LEADER.

Newsies Busy as Bees Getting Customers to Keep Ahead in the Prize Contest.

The Daily Independent newsboys are the busiest people in Monessen these days, trying to keep ahead in the prize contest. Roy McCreary now leads the van for the gold watch, and he declares he intends to take the prize. Harry Newhouse is a close second and has been a faithful worker since the race started.

As the lists stands today he comes under the wire for the silver watch. Arthur Kreppe holds the reins for the third prize, and is also doing excellent work. Within the next few days the boys will all be decked out with new caps and they are all anxious for the opportunity to wear them.

WANTED—Man to attend lunch counter. Inquire at once at this office. 89 tf.

Work at Mine Suspended.

All is quiet at the Charleroi coal works. No attempt is being made to run the the mine non-union, and most of the former employes of the works have found work elsewhere. The deputies have all left the mine, as they are no longer needed, and the company has secured private officers to guard their property.

The company's other mine at Creighton is in full operation with non-union workmen.

Big Steel Year.

The unprecedented demand for all finished and semi finished iron and steel products continues without sign of abatement. Local producers are being urged to exercise haste in filling contracts, and specifications are being received in heavy volume. Steel manufacturers predict that the closing quarter of this year will set a new high mark in production.

Come old and young and have some fun with Ping Pong Photos.

ANOTHER GRAND FALL OPENING.

Many Handsome Things to be Seen at the A. R. Ney's Millinery Opening.

All day a big crowd has been assembled at the new department store of A. R Ney and Co, on Donner avenue, the attraction being their grand fall millinery opening. It has been going on since morning and scores of people have been pouring in and out of the place and many expressions can be heard on all sides about the elegant display of seasonable goods.

Mr. Ney, the manager and his corps of clerks have spent several weeks of hard work in moving from the old stand, and arranging the immense stock in an artistic manner, and those who have visited the store today can bear testimony as to how well that work has been done. The stock in this store is new, nobby and embraces the most artistic styles in all kinds of ladies wearing apparel. The opening will last all afternoon and evening, and every lady who visits the store is presented with a growing fern as a souvenir. It will pay the people of Monessen to visit this opening, get acquainted with the management and all who do, will be well repaid for time and trouble.

BABIES CRY FOR PING PONG PHOTOS.

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TO BE THINKING ABOUT THAT
Fall Suit

We are now showing an elaborate line of the latest patterns in all the leading fabrics. Have your clothes to fit properly by going to

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Merchant Tailor
Schoonmaker Avenue.

Call and See

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For everything new in Clothing and Gents' Furnishings at . . . . prices that can't be beat in town. . . . .

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Come where your wants are attended to by registered druggists only.

Come where you get the purest drugs and medicines at prices that compel one to call again.

Come where your prescriptions are filled correctly or not at all.

It Pays to deal at Litzinger's.

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FALL OPENING

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We are displaying new Hats in our Millinery Department as fast as they can be turned out of our work-room. All are welcome to inspect our stock during the entire week.

Jos. Safier & Co.

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MUNICIPAL CAMP-FOLLOWERS

Mayor Weaver of Philadelphia, whose splendid reform work of a year ago in that ring-cursed city has been an inspiration to advocates of clean government everywhere, denounces partisanship in local affairs as responsible for the evils that afflict city government. In an address he said:

"I have no panacea for municipal woes, but upon one point I have reached a conclusion, based upon bitter experience. That is that political partinship and good municipal government cannot exist side by side. Reform within the party has been tried for decades and has failed.

"All the sources of municipal degeneracy find shelter and breeding under the folds of the tents of partinship. These camp followers of party are, in fact, not partisans at all—they are of no party and of all parties. They lay their eggs cuckoo-like in the nests of any triumphant party, but they follow surely in municipal government wherever partisanship rules therein."

"I therefore plead before the thinking citizens for the restraint of partisanship in city affairs."

Mayor Weaver's views in the matter are in harmony with President Roosevelt's and likewise every good citizen who respects the government of his own municipality and is opposed to graft and corruption. Often a few wise heads figure together to control the legislation of a city or borough and do it in the name of party, greatly to the detriment of the taxpayers. Such was the case in Philadelphia and the same evil pollutes other cities, and the only way to purify party name is to apply the political boot to those so-called leaders and drive them to the rear in local politics.

If you will make inquiry it will be a revelation to you how many succumb to kidney or bladder trouble in one form or another. If the patient is not beyond medical aid, Foley's Kidney Cure will cure. It never disappoints.

The new Pure Food and Drug Law will mark it on the label of every Cough Cure containing Opium, Chloroform, or any stupifying or poisonous drug. But it passes Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure as made for 20 years, entirely free. Dr. Shoop all along has bitterly opposed the use of all opiates or narcotics. Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure is absolutely safe even for the youngest babe—and it cures, it does not simply suppress. Get a safe and reliable Cough Cure, by simply insisting on having Dr. Shoop's. Let the law be your protection. We cheerfully recommend and sell it. Sold and recommended by all dealers.

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At Catlin's Old Stand.

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Everything Sanitary.

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For Brownsville and intermediate stations 6:30, 8:04, 9:58, a. m., 12:36, 2:52, 5:07, 8:58, p. m., f11:15 night week days. Sundays 8:39, 11:25 a. m., 2:51, 6:46, 11:29 p. m.

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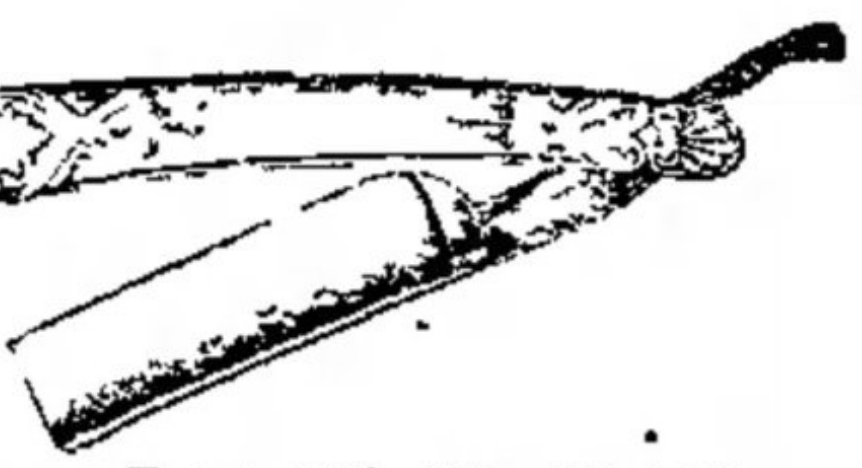

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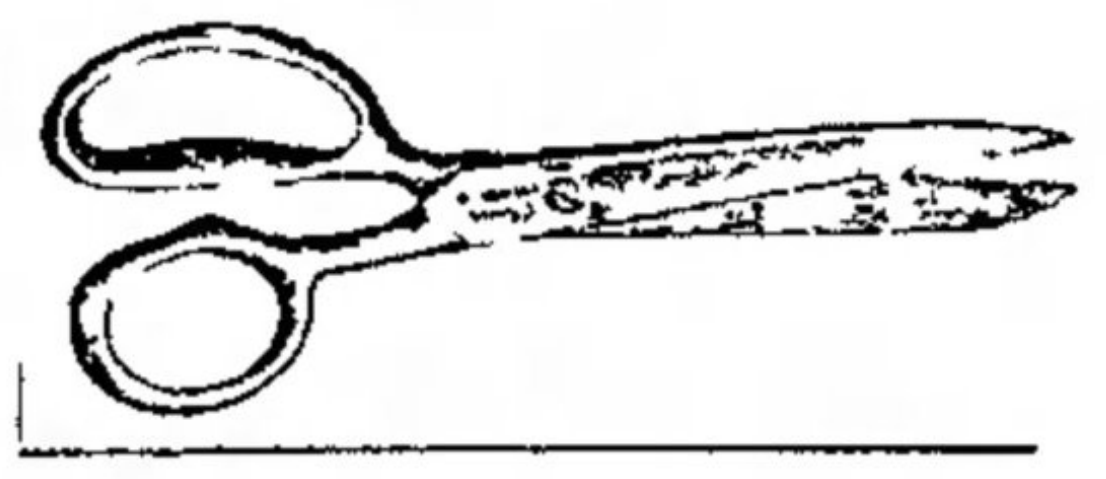

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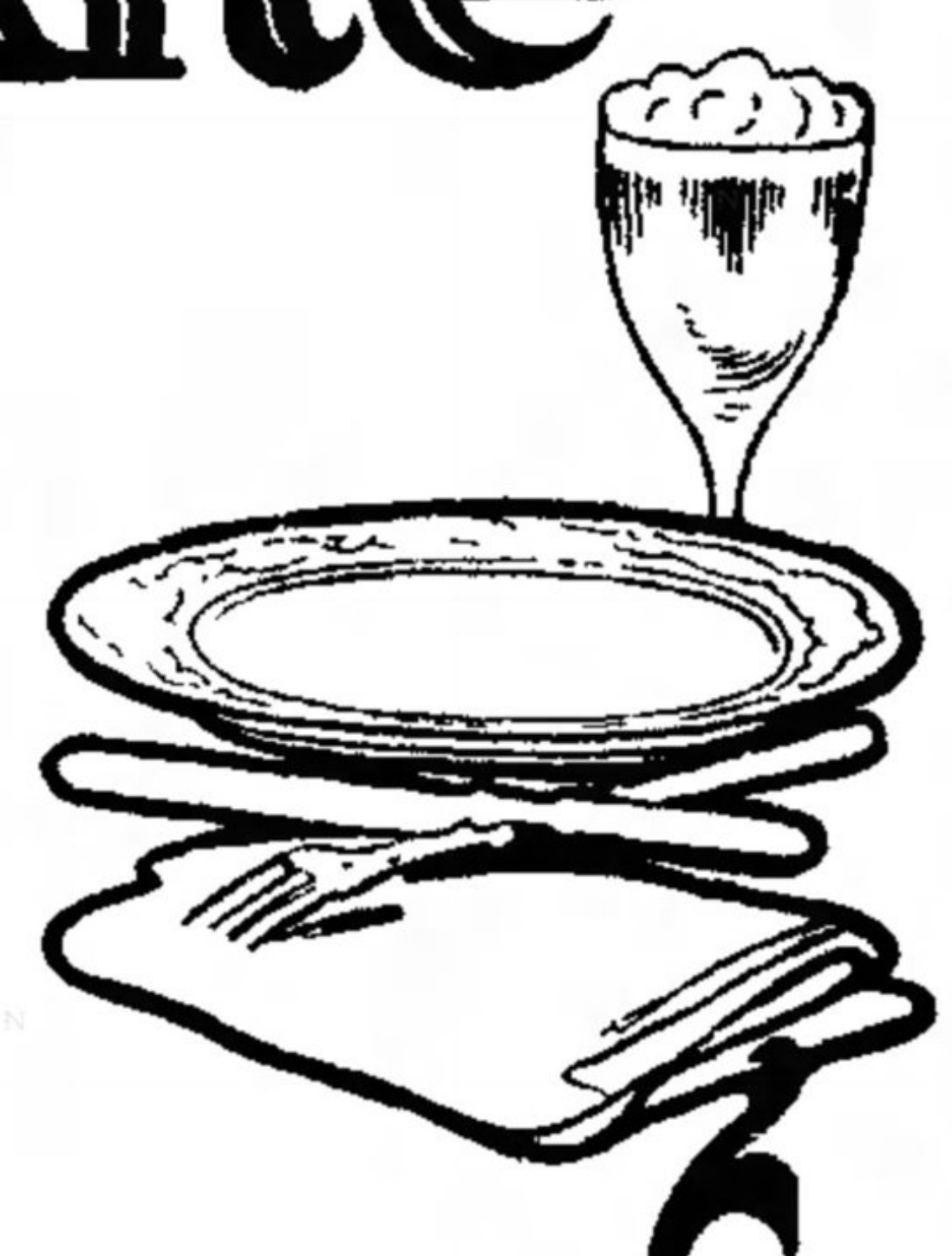

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Such a Little Thing

sometimes throws a fine watch out of gear that it takes a strong light and a strong watchmaker's glass to detect it, so delicate is the mechanism. Our knowledge of watchmaking, our skill and long experience in watch repairing make this the best place to bring a watch if there's the least thing wrong with it. There'll be nothing wrong about our charge. Clocks and music boxes repaired, too.

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and other Pacific Coast Points.

Proportionate rates to intermediate points. Tickets on sale daily until October 31st.

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Home seekers excursion tickets good returning 21 days from date of sale will be sold on the first and third Tuesday of each month to points in the West, Northwest and Southwest at greatly reduced rates for the round trip.

To some of the various Home seekers tickets will be sold every Tuesday. Tickets to points in Arkansas, Mexico, Missouri, Indian Territory, Oklahoma and Texas, and to certain [illegible] in New Mexico will bear return limit of [illegible] days.

Full information concerning rates and routes cheerfully and promptly furnished upon application to WABASH TICKET OFFICE

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No More Eggs

for Breeding Purposes this Season as too many orders are already placed ahead. Stock for sale on and after Sept 1. Prices according to individuality of fowl

C. H. Snyder. Box 1. Webster, Pa.

Try a little KODOL FOR DYSPEPSIA after your meals. See the effect it will produce on your general feeling by digesting your food and helping your food and hleping your stomach to get itself into shape. Many stomachs are overworked to the point where they refuse to go further. Kodol digests your food and gives your stomach the rest it needs while its reconstructive properties get the stomach back into working order. Kodol relieves flatulence, sour stomach, palpitation of the heart, belching, [illegible] W. Beck.

Dr. KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY

Pleasant to take, Powerful to Cure, And Welcome in every Home.

KIDNEY and LIVER cure.

Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is adapted to all ages and both sexes, affording permanent relief in all cases caused by impurity of the blood, such as Kidney, Bladder and Liver Complaints, constipation, and weaknesses peculiar to women. Successful for 30 years. Prepared by DR. D. KENNEDY'S SONS, Rondout, N. Y. $1.00 all druggists. Six bottles $5.00.

Ask for the 1906 Kodol Almanac and 200 year Calendar.

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Cook & Scott's old stand.

As Fine Turn-outs as any City Affords

Private horses and carriages taken care of and kept in good condition

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Third and Donner, Monessen, Pa

It is always well to have a box of salve in the house. Sunburn, cuts, bruises, piles and boils yield to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Should keep a box on hand at all times to provide for emergencies. For years the standard, but followed by many imitators. **Be sure and get the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Sold by R. W. Beck,**

Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar is the original laxative cough syrup and combines the qualities necessary to relieve the cough and purge the system of cold. Contains no opiates. Sold by R. W. Beck.

INTERESTING NEWS

Gathered by Our Reporters in Monessen and Vicinity.

The whistling wind was rising fast
As down the city street there passed
A man who knit his brow and said,
"Wow! its cold."

Roller Skates at Bearer's Hardware.

If you skate get your rollers at Bearer's H rdware.

Candles—Fresh every week- Light's Drug Store.

Spices—That are spicey and pure—Light's Drug Store.

Smooth out your roughened skin with Kirk's Carnation Cream.

Chicken and waffles Saturday night a Berryman's old stand.

Own your own umbrel a, special sale, Brown's Jewelry Store. 92-tf

Look for Janavitz's special millinery offer on the back page.

City Engineer J. F. Irwin is reported off duty on account of illness.

Brushes— The kind that wear for years at Light's Drug Store.

E. W. Keenan was a business visitor to the Smoky City today.

Keen, Sparkling full of life, Your favorite drink at Kirk's Fountain.

Don't miss the special sale of umbrellas at Brown's Jewelry store. 92 tf

W. I. Risheberger was a passenger on the 7:45 train to Pittsburg.

Unheard of bargains, special umbrella sale—Brown's Jewelry Store. 92-tf

Dr. Barben, Dentist — Gold Crowns and bridge work, $5 per tooth.

P. Amann the Donner avenue grocer, was a Pittsburg business visitor today.

Umbrellas worth $5 00, $2 35; $6 00 ones,$2 85—Brown's Jewelry Store. 92-tf

W. F. Seanor, of the Fifth Avenue hotel, was a business visitor in Pittsburg today.

Three sheets of music 25 cents,Saturday only, W. F. Frederick, 411 Donner avenue. 923t

$7.50 umbrellas for $3 35; $3.00 ones, $1.85. Special Sale — Brown's Jewelry Store. 92-tf

Capt. J. B. Gibson of Monongabela, is visiting with his daughter, Mrs. F. R. Jones.

H. Cramer, the Schoonmaker avenue clothier, was in the Smoky City today on business.

Miss Susie Cooper has accepted a position as saleslady at the Nyberg Department store.

Mrs. L. H. Richards and daughter Gertrude, attended the Exposition at Pittsburg today.

Attention is called to the special millinery offer of Max Janavitz on the back page of this issue. 92-2t

Why not own your own roller skates, then you know they are right. Get them at Bearer's Hardware.

A. B. Scott, superintendent of the Carnegnie Steel Hoop mill, went to Pitts burg last night on business.

The Washington county papers seem to be mutual when it comes to an exposion of Congressman Acheson.

D. H. Webb and Frank Fairley spent today with friends in Pittsburg. They will attend the opera at the Belasco théatre, this evening.

The Rev. B. S. Newton, of the First Congregational church of Pittsburg, Pa., preached for the Calvery Congregational church of Monessen, last Tuesday night. The sermon was very good, and those who did not hear Rev. Newton speak, are at a loss.

If there is any person in Monessen that does not read the Daily Independent, we want them to begin at once. Telephone or send your name to the office and we will see that the paper is delivered every evening. It costs one cent a day and keeps you posted on the doings of the people in the community. You cannot afford to be without the home daily.

If you want to be cured of catarrh get a Hyomei outfit from Miller's Pharmacy, price $1. Money back if it fails to cure.

Spices with Life of full strength are the kind kept by Kirk's Drug Store. Mr. W. P. Kirk says they come up to every requirement of the New Pure Food Law.

Eat your supper Saturday night with the Ladies Aid society of the M E. church when their annual chicken and waffle supper will be served in the room formerly occupied by Berryman's store. Everyone is invited and a fine supper and courteous treatment is assured all

M. JANAVITZ,

Monessen's Leading .. Milliner. . .

We have one hundred NEW HATS the prettiest creations imaginable, just out of our own work room. Every one a thing of beauty. Fifty of these hats were made to sell at $4.50, $5 and $5.50. For Saturday, Monday and Tuesday these will be offered at

..$3.98..

A most excellent inducement to the early shopper. Fifty of these hats were made to sell at $6,$6.50, $7, $7.50 and $8. These hats are far superior to any we have ever offered at these prices. You will be delighted when you see them. We offer them as a special for Saturday, Monday and Tuesday at

..$4.99..

An opportunity to secure an expensive hat at a moderate figure.

Beautiful New Fall COATS, SKIRTS and WAISTS.
A complete line of elegant FURS.
Everything in LADIES' FURNISHINGS.
It will pay you to visit our store.

***M. Janavitz,** Schoonmaker Avenue.*

J. L. Fehr Rounded up.

Pitman, N. Y. Oct. 11.—A well dressed and smooth man, giving his name as J. L. Fehr, of Harrisburg, Pa , dropped into this town as an alleged representative of a phonograph company. He sought the town's leading club, which he desired to present with a $50 outfit. He was referred to E. Linwood Clerk, an officer of the "Pitman Hot Air Club," who introduced him to the principal business men of the town, many of whom paid the man $3 for an advertisement that was to go on the lid of the talking machine.

After the desired amount was obtained the Clerk was told that the machine would be sent immediately by express, and last night it came. With it was a C. O. D. bill. As it was a big box the members of the club thought they had a big bargain, but after paying the bill they found a small toy phonograph with three records. One of the records was entitled, "A Slow Old Town". There were no advertisements on the lid of the box; in fact, there was no lid to the the machine.

Fehr is well known in Monessen, having been connected with the Monessen News in getting out an illustrated edition of the town. He was also represented at one time as having been interested with the Standard Land and Improvement Co. He was known as a "slick" article.

Magic City in Trouble.

Charleroi now has a hired girl famine and the citizens are crying with outstretched arms, "Where, Oh, where is Mary Ann ?

The Magic City seems to be having troubles of its own at present, a coal strike, a hired girl famine, and Tuesday it got in company with Monessen and had a murder.

"New York by Night".

"New York by Night" an original drama by Henry Belmar will be presented at the Monessen Opera House, Friday night, October 12. No expense has been spared by the management in the way of scenic effects and an excellent company.

After Tax Collector.

Suit has been brought by Monongahela City, through its solicitor, Carl E. Gibson, against Robert L. Tidball, delinquent tax collector, and Joseph A. Herron and S C. Markell, his sureties, to recover $1,814,75, with interest from April 14, 1904. The defendent, Robert L Tidball, was elected delinquent tax collector by the councils of the city on December 7, 1903. He gave bond but either failed to collect the taxes or forgot to turn them in, hence the suit.

Letter to A. J. Smith.

Monessen, Pa.

Dear Sir! You may like to know what you pay for the paint in a gallon of "paint", assuming the pure-paint part of all "paints" to be all alike;which it isn't; and worth $1.75 a gallon.

Of a paint adulterated 10 per cent, the pure-paint part brings $1.94 a gallon.

15 per cent	brings	$2.06	a gallon	
25 "	"	"	2.33	"
33⅓"	"	"	2.62	"
50 "	"	"	3.50	"
75 "	"	"	7.00	"

The average adulteration of paint in this country is about one-third; so, you see, the average price the American people are paying for paint is about $2 62 a gallon.

It is a game of wits. Adulterators are always too sharp for the bulk of consumers. People won't pay $1.75 a gallon for paint. So they pay $2.62 a gallon for paint and something that looks like paint mixed with it. (They pay the painter, besides, from $2 to $4 for painting those useless gallons.)

Why do they do it? They don't know Devoe.

Yours truly,
18 F W DEVOE & CO
New York.

P. S. Willson Hardware Co. Belle Vernon and J. P. Sloterbeck & Son, Fayette City sell our paint.

Don't be troubled longer with catarrh. Druggist Miller says that if a $1 Hyomei outfit does not cure you completely, he will pay for it.

Wanted—Eight saleslalies at once. Inquire 435 Donner avenue, opposite Stanley's restaurant, tomorrow morning 90 lt.

To Let - Unfurnished rooms, 38 Schoonmaker avenue.

Was in Poor Health for Years.

Ira W. Kelley of Mansfie d, Pa., writes: "I was in poor health for two years, suffering from kidney and bladder trouble, and spent considerable money consulting physicians without obtaining any marked benefit, but was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure, and I desire to add my testimony that it may be the cause of restoring the health of others." Refuse substitutes. Sold by Kirks Drug Store.

G. B. Burhans Testifies after four Years.

G. B. Burham of Carlisle Center, N. Y., writes "About four years ago I wrote you stating that I had been entirely cured of a severe kidney trouble by taking less than two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure. It entirely stopped the brick dust sediment, and pain and symptoms of kidney disease disappeared. I'm g ad to say that I have never had a return of any of those symptons during the four years that have elapsed and I am evidently cured to stay cured, and heartily recommend Foley's Kidney Cure to any one suffering from kidney or badder trouble." Sold by Kirks Drug Store.

Souvenirs

To each lady visitor, as a remembrance of our opening, we will present a growing Fern

A.R.NEY CO.

SUCCESSORS TO

J. W. Berryman & Son

Souvenirs

Each lady visitor will receive a growing Fern as a souvenir of our Fall Opening,

SPECIAL FALL OPENING

THURSDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 11.

After weeks of ceaseless toil, hard work and careful buying—fitting up our new store room with new shelving, counters,showcases and fixtures—we are pleased to announce our Fall Opening—Pleased to have you visit us and see a bright, modern store room fitted up for your convenience—A new cash and package carrier system—A new Cloak and Suit Department on our second floor that will be a surprise to you and a pleasing one we know—Come to this opening and bring your friends, See all the beautiful New Suits and Winter Coats for ladies, misses and children, A wonderful line of the celebrated **Korrect Skirt** and **The Marquise Waist**, Handsome Dress Goods, The latest style trimmings in Braid and Applique To make this opening of special interest to you we start a **TEN DAY SALE. ENDING MONDAY. OCTOBER 22.** There will be active selling of extra specials below their value prices. These savings we want you to make.

FOR TEN DAYS WE MAKE THESE SPECIAL PRICES.

Plaid and Check Flannelettes, the kind you pay 8c a yard for Opening Sale Price. ...	5c
Flannelettes, good patterns for night dresses, regular price 12c per yard, sale price....	7c
10c Glass Toweling, with blue and white checks, make nice tea towels, sale price	7c
60c Table Linen, sale price per yard............	38c
100 Ladies' Colored Silk Umbrellas with fancy borders, $2 value sale price......	$1.49
One lot ladies genuine linen handkerchiefs. Note—All linen. Opening sale...6 for	25c

One case ladies' 50c Vests and Pants,our old 50c number, Opening Sale price......	39c
One table of Taffeta Ribbons, all colors, very special, for opening sale, per yard....	19c
One lot Ladies' $1 50 natural handled Umbrellas, some handsome goods, sale price	98c
Genuine Cuticura Soap at this sale...........	19c
Genuine Mennen's Toilet Talcum Powder at.........	15c
Misses' fine guage 25c Black Hose at..................	19c

Two styles black Underskirts splendid value, Opening Sale price	79c
Three splendid styles in Black Underskirts, Opening Sale price	98c
Silk Underskirts at $3 50, $4.00, $5.00 to	$15.00
One lot of Black Underskirts at......................	39c
Special Sale Covert Jackets at..........	$3.75
Ladies Dress Shields per pair....	9c

OUR NEW STORE--- It has become well known that the A. R. Ney Co. are successors to the old firm of J. W. Berryman & Son, who have been in Monessen for about eight years. Their policy, so well known, will be followed by the new firm. **Everything right or money back.** We are here to please you and we mean to do it. We have a wondrous stock of the newest merchandise and ask you to inspect it at your earliest convenience. We are in the new Cox building, opposite the Peoples National Bank, where we will be pleased to welcome you at all times. Again extending you a courteous invitation to our opening Thursday Evening, October 11.

THE A. R. NEY CO.,

DONNER AVENUE, MONESSEN, PA.

Monessen OPERA HOUSE.

ONE NIGHT ONLY

FRIDAY, OCT. 12.

Henry Belmar's Melodrama "New York By Night."

Something New and Novel.
New and Effective Scenery.

The Hotel Astor, Time's Square and the Harlem River Bridge are inviting stage pictures.

Tickets on sale at Light's Drug store.

Does evil still, your life fill?
Does woe betide?
Your thoughts abide on suicide?
You need a pill!

Now for prose and facts—DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the most pleasant and reliable pills known today. They never gripe. Sold by R W. Beck.

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Buy your pianos at Frederick's. You will save $100 on the purchase of a piano, the same instrument that will cost you $100 more if you buy from another dealer Why? W. F. Frederick operates over sixty stores and agencies. The largest piano concern between New York and Chicago. Buys the annual output of many instruments he is selling, and retails to the people at factory prices We do not deal in cheap pianos. We are asking you the same price for a good piano, as you will pay for a worthless one, and think you are getting a bargain Where is the guarantee? We guarantee all our instruments to be first-class, and stand by every word we say.

"Think a minute " Come to our store and we will help you make the selection of a piano that will be an ornament in your home. We will make the price satisfactory. Your old instrument taken in exchange.

W. F. FREDERICK, 411 DONNER AVE.

MESSENGER

Orders left at Kirk's drug store will receive Prompt and Careful Attention.

JOSEPH SAMMELS,
Pittsburg Headquarters
513 Second Ave.
Trips daily except Saturday and Sunday

WANT ADDS ONE CENT A WORD

Wanted—Girl at Dovonan House, Donner avenue.

Wanted—Position by woman, first class cook, in hotel or boarding house. Address 108 Donner avenue.

For Sale—A full 7⅓ octave organ piano case; for sale by Mrs. T W. Newhouse, 811 Schoonmaker avenue.

For Sale—At a bargain to quick buyer fine residence on Fourth street. Easy terms. Inquire E. Jeffries.

For Sale—At less than cost of improvements, 8 rooms and bath, Donner avenue, good location, must be sold at once; make me an offer. E. Jeffries